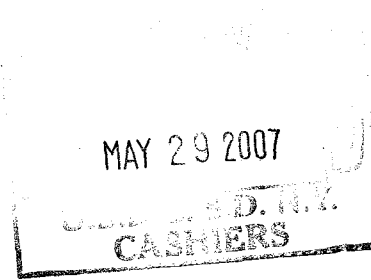


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**RULE 7.1 CORPORATE
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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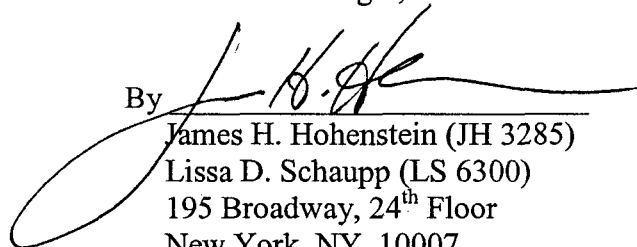
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I, James H. Hohenstein, attorney of record for Auckland Shipping Company, London ("Auckland"), having filed an initial pleading in the captioned action and pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 7.1, state that Auckland has no parent corporation and no publicly held corporation owns any of its shares.

Dated: New York, New York
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Respectfully submitted,
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